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In re application of:
Masato GOMYO et al.

Serial No: 10/621,032
Confirmation No: 1181
Filed: July 16, 2003
For: Bearing Apparatus And Method For Manufacturing
Same

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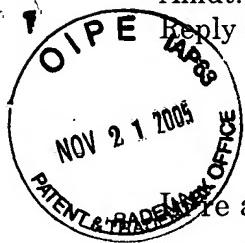

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Dear Sir:

In response to the final Office Action dated August 19, 2005, please amend
this application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which
begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.